

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-3 and 6 are amended by this response. No claims are canceled or added. Upon entry of these amendments and remarks, claims 1-3 and 5-6 will remain pending.

By this response, the claims are amended to recite a plurality of ink receiving layers. Support for this claim amendment may be found in the specification as originally filed, at least at ¶[0023]. It is respectfully asserted that the art being relied upon by the Examiner, fails to teach or suggest such a plurality of ink receiving layers.

Based upon the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance and an action to that end is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 650-326-2400.

Respectfully submitted,

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